

Amendments to the Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A system for ~~analysing~~ analyzing ECG curvature, the system comprising:

input means; and

an ECG source,

wherein the system is configured to isolate and store at least one among a number of different parameters ~~is isolated and stored,~~

~~which system has~~ wherein the input means is connected to ~~[[an]] the~~ ECG source,

~~where the~~ wherein the system is configured to indicate and/or isolate different parameters of a received ECG curvature ~~are indicated and/or isolated by the system for indicating to indicate~~ symptoms,

~~[[where]]~~ wherein the system is configured to combine, in at least a first mathematical analysis, a first number of selected parameters from ~~at least three main groups, which~~ groups ~~comprise of~~ parameters ~~[[of]] including~~ symmetry, flatness, duration and/or complexity, ~~are combined in at least a first mathematical analysis,~~

~~where the~~ wherein the system is configured to represent a result of the analysis ~~is represented~~ as a point in at least one coordinate system, ~~comprising having~~ at least one axis,

~~where the~~ wherein the system compares the is configured to compare actual coordinates in the coordinate system with a number of reference parameters stored in the system, ~~for indicating to indicate~~ symptoms or diseases having influence on the ECG curvature,

~~[[where]]~~ wherein the system analyses the is configured to analyze a QT curvature of the ECG ~~for indicating to indicate~~ hereditary or acquired Long QT Syndrome.

2. (Currently Amended) A system for ~~analysing~~ analyzing ECG curvature according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the system is analysing configured to analyze the ECG curvature for Long QT Syndrome acquired by drug influence.

3. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~e-h-a-r-a-e-t-e-r-i-s-e-d-i-n-t-h-a-t~~ wherein the system is configured to repeat the analysis of the QT curvature analysing process ~~is repeated in the system~~ for further selected parameters in order to achieve more reliable results.

4. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~e-h-a-r-a-e-t-e-r-i-s-e-d-i-n-t-h-a-t~~ wherein the group of symmetry comprises at least one of the following parameters:

- S1 Symmetry evaluated from Tstart to Tend[[]];
- S2 Symmetry with Tpeak as mean evaluated from Tstart to Tend[[]];
- S3 Symmetry with Tpeak as mean evaluated in a symmetric interval of 10% of the Tstart-Tend-interval surrounding Tpeak[[]];
- S4 Symmetry with Tpeak as mean evaluated in a symmetric interval of 20% of the Tstart-Tend-interval surrounding Tpeak[[]];
- S5 Ratio of the time interval “Tstart to Tpeak” and the time interval “Tpeak to Tend[[]];
- S6 Ratio of the average slope from Tstart to Tpeak and from Tpeak to Tend[[]];
- S7 Variation evaluated from Tstart to Tend, calculated by the formula[[]];
- S8 Variation with Tpeak as mean evaluated from Tstart to Tend[[]];
- S9 Variation with Tpeak as mean evaluated in a symmetric interval of 10% of the Tstart-Tend-interval surrounding Tpeak[[]];
- S10 Variation with Tpeak as mean evaluated in a symmetric interval of 20% of the Tstart-Tend-interval surrounding Tpeak[[]];
- S11 The Hill parameter, K_m , evaluated by least square fitting of the ~~repolarisation~~ repolarization integral, $RI(t)$, from the Jpoint to the following Ponset[[]]; and
- S12 The Hill parameter, K_m , evaluated by least square fitting of the ~~repolarisation~~ repolarization integral, $RI(t)$, from Tstart to Tend.

5. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~e-h-a-r-a-e-t-e-r-i-s-e-d-i-n-t-h-a-t~~ wherein the group of flatness comprises at least one of the following parameters:

- F1 Flatness evaluated from Tstart to Tend[[]];

- F2 Flatness parameter, F1, normalized by the size of the R wave[.];
- F3 Flatness with Tpeak as mean evaluated from Tstart to Tend[.];
- F4 Flatness parameter, F3, normalized by the size of the R wave[.];
- F5 Flatness with Tpeak as mean evaluated in a symmetric interval of 10% of the Tstart-Tend-interval surrounding Tpeak[.];
- F6 Flatness parameter, F5, normalized by the size of the R wave[.];
- F7 Flatness with Tpeak as mean evaluated in a symmetric interval of 20% of the Tstart-Tend-interval surrounding Tpeak[.];
- F8 Flatness parameter, F7, normalized by the size of the R wave[.];
- F9 Ratio of the total area under the T-wave from Tstart to Tpeak and the corresponding time interval[.];
- F10 Flatness parameter, F9, normalized by the size of the R wave.
- F11 Ratio of the total area under the T-wave from Tpeak to Tend and the corresponding time interval.
- F12 Flatness parameter, F11, normalized by the size of the R wave[.];
- F13 Ratio of the total area under the T-wave from Tstart to Tend and the corresponding time interval[.];
- F14 Flatness parameter, F13, normalized by the size of the R wave[.];
- F15 Ratio of the T wave height and the T wave width[.];
- F16 The T wave height[.];
- F17 Average slope from Tstart to Tpeak[.];
- F18 Average slope from Tpeak to Tend[.];
- F19 The Hill parameter, n, evaluated by least square fitting of the ~~repolarisation~~ repolarization integral, RI(t), from the Jpoint to the following Ponset[.];
- F20 The Hill parameter, n, evaluated by least square fitting of the ~~repolarisation~~ repolarization integral, RI(t), from Tstart to Tend[.];
- F21 The Hill parameter, V_{max} , evaluated by least square fitting of the ~~repolarisation~~ repolarization integral, RI(t), from the Jpoint to the following Ponset[.]; and
- F22 The Hill parameter, V_{max} , evaluated by least square fitting of the ~~repolarisation~~ repolarization integral, RI(t), from Tstart to Tend.

6. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the group of duration comprises at least one of the following parameters:

QTc The Q-T interval normalized by the square root of the R-R interval according to Bazett's formula[.];

D2 The time interval from Tstart to Tend[.];

D3 The time interval from Tstart to Tpeak[.]; and

D4 The time interval from Tpeak to Tend.

7. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the group of complexity comprises at least one of the following parameters:[,]

C1: Number of local maxima between Tstart and Tend; the minimum number is one[.]; and

C2: Number of phases between Tstart and Tend, where a phase is defined as a singly connected part of the wave that is entirely above or entirely below the iso-electric line; the minimum number is one.

8. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the system is ~~selecting and combining~~ configured to select and combine parameters from the different groups.

9. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the system is configured to be trained during use, [[where]] wherein the parameters' values are calculated for individual subjects, [[where]] wherein the mathematical analysis of the parameters ~~chooses~~ determines at least one optimal small parameter set out of the complete number of parameters from all categories.

10. (Currently Amended) System according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the final classification function is at least based on data from at least one LQT or drug influenced group and Normal subjects stored as a training set, with the consequences

that the classification ~~method~~ is improved by adding new subjects to the training set, ~~[[which]]~~ wherein the new subject ~~can be~~ are tailored to demographic or gender differences.

11. (Currently Amended) Method for ~~analysing~~ analyzing drug influence on ECG curvature, ~~which curvature contains~~ having a number of parameters, ~~characterised in that the method for analysing the ECG curvature incorporates the steps of~~ comprising:

- [[a))] receiving ECG curvature from a source,
- [[b))] indicating a number of different parameters contained in the received ECG curvature,
- [[c))] storing the parameters in storage means,
- [[d))] selecting disease specific parameters in the storage means,
- [[e))] selecting parameters from ~~at least three groups, which groups comprises of~~ parameters ~~[[of]]~~ including symmetry, flatness, duration and/or complexity, ~~[[.]]~~
- [[f))] combining selected parameters in mathematical ~~analysing~~ analyzing means,
- [[g))] representing the result of the mathematical analysis as a point in at least one coordinate system, ~~which coordinate system comprises~~ having at least one axis,
- [[h))] comparing the actual placement in the coordinate system with a number of reference parameters stored in a memory, and
- [[i))] ~~analysing~~ analyzing the QT curvature of the ECG for indicating drug induced changes.

12. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim 11, ~~characterised in that~~ the method ~~[[is]]~~ further comprising repeating the ~~analysing~~ analyzing process for further selected parameters for achieving more reliable results.

13. (Currently Amended) Use of a system for ~~analysing~~ analyzing ECG curvature for test of drugs, ~~[[which]]~~
wherein system has input means connected to an ECG source,
wherein at least one among a number of different parameters is isolated and stored in the system,

[[where]] wherein the different parameters of a received ECG curvature are indicated and/or isolated for indicating possible symptoms,

[[where]] wherein a number of selected parameters, are combined in at least a first mathematical analysis, where the result of the analysis is represented as a point in at least one coordinate system, comprising at least one axis,

[[where]] wherein the system compares the actual placement in the coordinate system with a number of reference parameters stored in the system, for indicating symptoms having influence on the ECG curvature,

[[where]] wherein the parameters of the ECG curvature are calculated before and after a drug test for a number of subjects,

where the difference for selected parameters between before and after testing are calculated for each subject,

[[where]] wherein the system ~~analyses~~ analyzes the QT curvature of the ECG for indicating acquired Long QT syndrome, and

[[where]] wherein a statistical analysis of selected parameters for a number of subjects gives statistical significance for at least one of the following decisions:

“~~accept~~ acceptance of the drug”,

“rejection of the drug”, and

“further testing of the drug”.